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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: OVIP (KISSINGER, HENRY A.)

SUBJ: SECVISIT: PRESS COVERAGE PETRA TRIP

REF: CAIRO 8038

1. THIS CONFIRMS THAT NO REPEAT NO HELICOPTER TRANSPORTATION AVAILABLE FOR ACCOMPANYING PRESS OTHER THAN FOR FOUR MAN PRESS POOL WHICH WE STRONGLY ADVISE BE VISUAL TEAM. GROUND TRANSPORT TO PETRA IS HOWEVER AVAILABLE FOR REMAINING ACCOMPANYING PRESS AND OTHERS; CARS WILL LEAVE HOTEL 5 A.M. DEPARTURE AMMAN FOR 8 A.M. ARRIVAL PETRA (FOR LOCAL PRESS AND OTHERS SO DESIRING) AND AGAIN AT 6 A.M. DEPARTURE AMMAN ARRIVING PETRA AT 9 A.M. (SECRETARY'S PARTY ARRIVES AT 10:15 A.M.). SOME TRANSPORTATION AVAILABLE PETRA-AQABA.

2. LANDROVERS WILL BE MADE AVAILABLE AT PETRA FOR ACCOMPANYING PRESS ON SECRETARY'S AIRCRAFT AND SOME OTHER PRESS. DETAILS BEING WORKED OUT.

3. GROUND TRAVEL TIMES AMMAN/AQABA -- 3 1/2 TO 4 HOURS; AMMAN-PETRA - 2 1/2 TO 3 HOURS; PETRA/AQABA -- TWO HOURS. PICKERING

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